

M I N U T E S  
May 17, 2006  
9:30 a.m.

PRESENT: Mark Sidran, Chairman  
Philip Jones, Commissioner  
Pat Oshie, Commissioner

The regular meeting of the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission was called to order on May 17, 2006, by Chairman Sidran. Glenn Blackmon, Director of Regulatory Services, noted that items E-21, Advanced TelCom, Inc., E22, Eschelon Telecom of Washington, Inc., and E-23, Shared Communications Services, Inc., have been withdrawn and item E-27, Kala Point Utility Company, has been removed from the Agenda.

E)1. 1-000 Consent Agenda

Disposition: Commissioner Jones moved to approve the consent agenda and direct the Secretary to sign orders and/or letters necessary to affect each action. Commissioner Oshie seconded the motion. The motion carried (3:0).

UTILITIES

A)1.1-102 Docket Number UT-060760 Beaver Creek Telephone Company Petition for waiver of the notice and filing dates as set forth in Paragraph 8 of the Washington Carrier Access Plan as approved in Docket UT-971140; and to establish a revenue objective of \$571,431. Petition

Appearances: Bob Shirley and Tim Zawislak, staff; Garrin Bott and Carston Koldback, Beaver Creek Telephone Company

This item was recessed until June, 6, 2006, at 1:30 p.m.

A)2. 1-102 Docket Number UT-060762 Westgate Communications, LLC dba: WeavTel Petition for waiver of the notice and filing dates as set forth in Paragraph 8 of the Washington Carrier Access Plan as approved in Docket UT-971140; and to establish a revenue objective of \$738,443. Petition

Appearances: Bob Shirley and Tim Zawislak, staff; Garrin Bott and Carston Koldback, Beaver Creek Telephone Company

This item was recessed until June, 6, 2006, at 1:30 p.m.

A)3. 1-85 Docket Number UW-060583 Roche Harbor Water System General rate increase for \$89,398 (38.6 percent) of additional revenue per year. The Company serves 497 customers in the north, west part of San Juan Island. The rate design is changed to provide a zero allowance with the basic meter charge. Tariff Revision

Appearances: Jim Ward, staff

The Commission allowed the revised tariff revision to become effective May 18, 2006.

#### TRANSPORTATION:

B)1. 1-27 Docket Number TR-060091 Application of Skamania County Public Works for disbursement of funds from the Grade Crossing Protective fund for trespass prevention at Home Valley Park. Application for Funding (GCPF)

Appearances: Vicki Elliot, staff

Disposition: Commissioner Jones moved to approve disbursement of funds in the amount of \$6,575 from the Grade Crossing Protective Fund for the project proposed by Skamania County at Home Valley, Washington. Commissioner Oshie seconded the motion. The motion carried (3:0).

B)2. 1-60 Docket Number TV-041628 Reviews Household Goods Tariff 15A for possible updating, revising, and correcting minor typographical errors. Staff Investigation

Appearances: Lori Kanz

Disposition: Commissioner Jones moved to issue an order that cancels WUTC Household Goods Tariff 15-A and adopts Tariff 15-B, effective June 1, 2006. Commissioner Oshie seconded the motion. The motion carried (3:0).

The meeting recessed at 11:50 a.m.

The meeting reconvened at 1:30 p.m., on June 6, 2006.

A)1. 1-01 Docket Number UT-060760 Beaver Creek Telephone Company Petition for waiver of the notice and filing dates as set forth in Paragraph 8 of the Washington Carrier Access Plan as approved in Docket UT-971140; and to establish a revenue objective of \$571,431. Petition

Appearances: Bob Shirley, Glenn Blackmon, and Tim Zawislak, staff; Richard Finnigan, WECA; Wes Lannen, USDA; Garrin Bott and Carston Koldback, Beaver Creek Telephone Company

This item has been deferred.

A)2. 2-222 Docket Number UT-060762 Westgate Communications, LLC dba: WeavTel Petition for waiver of the notice and filing dates as set forth in Paragraph 8 of the Washington Carrier Access Plan as approved in Docket UT-971140; and to establish a revenue objective of \$738,443. Petition

Appearances: Bob Shirley, staff

This item has been deferred.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Attested by \_\_\_\_\_  
Carole J. Washburn, Secretary